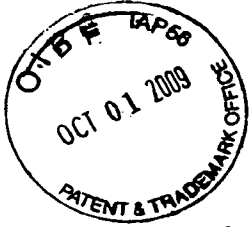


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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Final Office Action mailed May 6, 2009, the shortened statutory period for reply having been extended by two (2) months to October 6, 2009 by a Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith, the following remarks are respectfully submitted.

Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response,

Remarks begin on page 6 of this Response.

	CLAIMS REMAINING IN RESPONSE		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	8	-	20	=	0
INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	=	0